

May 2017 @ Oxbow Eco-Center

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3	4 7:00pm St. Lucie Audubon Society lecture- "Show and Tell"	5 10:30am Tai Chi for Health	6 3:00pm Critter Crunch & Munch
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28	29	30	31	 <p>(772) 785-5833 www.oxboweco.com 5400 NE St. James Drive Port St. Lucie, FL 34983</p>  <p>A St. Lucie County Environmental Learning Center</p>		
					    	

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Oxbow Summer Camps-

Tai Chi for Health

Fridays, May 5, 12, 19 & 26 @ 10:30am

Described as the 'perfect exercise,' Tai Chi for Health is designed for young and old alike, physically fit or challenged and especially good for those who suffer from arthritis, diabetes, osteoporosis and balance issues. Classes are taught by instructors Hilde and Hector Ruiz-Puyana. \$12 per class or \$40 for 4 classes. Appropriate for ages 16 and up. RSVP a must.

Critter Crunch & Munch

Saturdays May 6, 13, 20 & 27 @ 3:00pm

Bring something to snack on while you watch the Oxbow's animal ambassadors enjoy their favorite time of day -- meal-time!

Appropriate for all ages, FREE.

St. Lucie Audubon Society lecture- "Show and Tell"

Thursday, May 4th @7:00pm

A host of guest speakers will be sharing their information in a "show and-tell" style, related to birding. FREE

Tales & Trails

Thursday May 11th @ 3:30pm

Join Ms. Phyllis for a story time adventure and then take a hike in the butterfly garden or down the boardwalk to see what kinds of animals you can spot. Each month the story changes but the fun never stops! Ages 2-6, FREE

Great Water Odyssey Teacher Workshop

Wednesday, May 17th 9:30am-2:30pm

Formal and informal educators are invited to participate in a *Great Water Odyssey* workshop. Sponsored by the South Florida Water Management District and coordinated by the Florida Center for Environmental Studies (FAU), the workshop is free to teachers and home school parents.

The *Great Water Odyssey* is a fun, interactive, web-based educational program that teaches about water resources and their protection and conservation. Participants are asked to bring a laptop computer if they have one. Reservations are required. To register, please contact Casey Trent at ctrent4@fau.edu.

Archery

Saturday May 27th @ 9:30am

From the Olympics to national tournaments and local clubs, archery offers extracurricular fun for all ages while helping to build strength, endurance, and mental focus. Instruction will include a classroom session and outdoor range time. Please bring a bagged lunch, water bottle, closed-toe shoes and appropriate clothing for Florida weather. This program is for ages 10 and older. All participants 15 years old and younger must have a guardian present. The cost is \$10 per person for anyone planning to participate on the range. Reservations are required.

Oxbow Adventure Camp

Certified instructors introduce hobbies to last a lifetime in this high adventure camp. Activities include kayaking, archery, fishing, basic survival skills, and more all while exploring St. Lucie County's fabulous nature preserves! Participants will also learn Leave No Trace principles for protecting the environment.

June 6th through June 9th

9:00am to 4:00pm

Ages 12-16 * \$140

BioEYES Camp

Project BioEYES is a week long hands-on science outreach program that uses zebrafish to teach developmental biology, genetics and the scientific method. Children become "junior Scientists".

June 12th-16th

9:00 am -2:00 pm

Ages 7 -14 *\$300

Wild About Animals Camp

Go wild at the Oxbow Eco-Center at this hands-on fun filled camp. Campers will not only learn about Florida's wildlife, but will get to meet our animal ambassadors.

June 19th through June 23rd

9:00am to 2:00pm

Ages 8-11 *\$120

Spirit of Nature Art Camps

Let your imagination take over, and enjoy a week filled with creativity and fun. We will explore many different art and craft mediums in an effort to allow your child to improve their self-expression and gain confidence. This year's theme is "Sticks and Stones".

July 10th through July 14th

9:00am-1:00pm

Ages 7-10 * \$95

July 17th through July 21st

9:00am-3:00pm

Ages 10-16 * \$125

Nature Connects: Lego & Robotics Camp

This fun hands-on technology and nature-based camp introduces the most ingenious engineer of all time; Mother Nature! Participants will build and explore clever robot models of different creations using Lego Bricks.

July 31st through Aug 4th

9:00am to 1:30pm

Ages 10-14 * \$120

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